

Common Access Card (CAC) and PKI updates for TECOM ITMAB

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Topics covered

CAC at the Recruit Depots

CAC and NMCI

Future of the CAC



CAC at the MCRDs

- Currently recruits use 3 cards -
 - 1.) Smartcard- Used for administrative tracking and electronic record keeping.
 - 2.) ATM Card Used for PX runs and times when recruits need money.
 - 3.) Teslin ID card Issued before graduation. Can be issued if a recruit needs to take emergency.
- Goal Issue recruits one card to act as ID card, money card, and administrative card.



CAC as ID card at MCRDs

- Needs to be issued by Arrival Day +3
 - Central Issuance Facility
 - High volume card printer and card encoder.
 Able to produce a CAC in 3 minutes.
 Fielding scheduled for Sept 04.
 - Blood type needs to be printed on card
 - Can the clinics at MCRDs get this information in the allotted time?
 - Can MEPS stations determine blood type?



CAC as a Money card

- Currently use a small "E-purse" on the Smartcard to act as an ATM card until banks issue cards.
- Department of Treasury pays for the Smartcards.
- Dept of Treasury is developing a similar capability on the CAC. Ready for testing May 04.
- When the CAC can be issued with an "E-purse" the Dept of Treasury will stop funding the Smartcard program. (MOA effective until Oct 04)



CAC as the Administrative Card

- Depots currently use Maximus and RAS/PAS for electronic administration of recruits.
 (Paperless)
- Can a program be developed to use the CAC as the recruit's identification token?
 - MCRD PI- Sgt King is working with Maximus to determine cost to develop this function.
- Can TIMS cover the recruit admin portion?
 - All but property accountability and recruit manifesting.



CAC and NMCI

- MARADMIN 201/03 Migration to CAC based PKI
- DoN CIO 171925 Z Sep03 Delayed implementation to 1 April 2004.
- HQMC C4 additional guidance 151938 Z Jan04
 - This includes digitally signing and or encrypting email, client-side authentication to private web servers and cryptographic logon for network access.
- USMC at 80% compliance.
 - Contact Mary Stroz, Head Deers/Rapids Dependency, if you would like a copy of the MISSO report of your unit. (DSN 278-9529)



CAC and NMCI (Cont) 1 April Deadline Implications

- Email signing and encryption.
 - E-mail signing and encryption certificates on the CAC need to reflect the proper NMCI e-mail address of the user.
 - C4 has tasked EDS to provide NMCI user email addresses ASAP. This will allow users to update their CAC certs.
- Cryptographic Log-on.
 - "will be provided by NMCI at a point after cut over."
 - Legacy equipment that will not transition to NMCI will need CAC readers.
 - MCNOSC has been tasked to provide additional CAC readers to non-NMCI users.
 - MCNOSC will also provide an implementation plan for network cryptographic logon for non-NMCI users.



CAC Personal IdentificationNumber

- C4 will coordinate with Base G-6s to arrange for additional DEERS/RAPIDS workstations and support personnel at NMCI cut over sites.
- These workstations will be -
 - > Able to reset PINs.
 - Able to encode digital certificates into CACs.
 - Set up away from the main DEERS site.
 - Funded by DEERS.
- Will not be able to generate new cards.



Future of the CAC



- Upgrade to 64K chip on the card.
- Add contactless technology.
- Marines could use it as their barracks door key.
- Use on ship as a money card.

 CAC program office is always looking for new ways to implement the technology.





